

Docket No. 211223US0X

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Bettina MOECKEL, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/938,540

GAU: 1652

FILED: August 27, 2001

EXAMINER: FRONDA, C.L.

NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES CODING FOR THE CCPA1 GENE

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

O I P E F O R  
P A T E N T & T R A D E M A R K O F F I C E  
FEB 26 2004  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a three month extension of time be granted to February 26, 2004 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated: August 26, 2003.
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$950.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,  
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.



Jean-Paul Lavallee, Ph.D.

Registration No. 31,451

Customer Number

22850

Tel. (703) 413-3000  
Fax. (703) 413-2220  
(OSMMN 05/03)

Daniel J. Pereira, Ph.D.

Registration No. 45,518